

PATENT APPLICATION

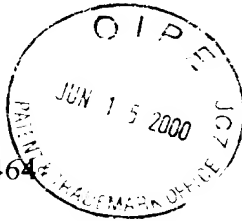
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yasumitsu IKEGAMI

Application No.: 09/142,464

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Group Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: M. Budd

Docket No.: JAO 40853

For: PIEZOELECTRIC RESONATOR, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAME
AND PIEZOELECTRIC RESONATOR UNIT

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 2, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims ~~2 and~~ 15.

Please amend claims 1, 8, 14, 20 and 21 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A piezoelectric resonator comprising:
- a piezoelectric resonator element having a piezoelectric body and an electrode formed on a surface of the piezoelectric body;
 - a supporting member supporting said piezoelectric resonator element; and
 - a plurality of leads mechanically connecting said piezoelectric resonator element to said supporting member and permitting electrical connection thereof, each of said leads being provided with a flat leading end portion which opens in a substantially U-shaped opening toward a leading end, connected substantially in parallel with said electrode, said